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Date of Sailing. 1904. Saturday, 2 P.M.	Steamer.	Tons.	Connecting at Aden with.	Tons.
12thNov.	MONGOLIA	9505		
19th ,,	ARCADIA	6903	OCEANA	6610
26th ,,	EGYPT	7912		
3rd Dec	CALEDONIA	7558	MACEDONIA	10513
10th ,,	MALWA	7509		
17th ,,	ARCADIA	6903	CHINA	7912
24th ,,	PERSIA	7951		
31st ,,	CALEDONIA	7558	MOLDAVIA	9500
1905.				
7th Jan.	ARABIA	7903		
14th ,,	ARCADIA	6903	VICTORIA	6922
21st ,,	ORIENTAL	6284		
28th ,,	CALEDONIA	7558	HI MALAYA	8890
4th Feb.	EGYPT	7912		
11th ,,	ARCADIA	6903	INDIA	7911
18th ,,	CALEDONIA	7558		
25th ,,	PERSIA	7951	BRITANNIA	6325
4th Mar.	MACEDONIA	10512		
11th ,,	ARCADIA	6903	MONGOLIA	9505
18th ,,	ARABIA	7903		
25th ,,	PENINSULAR	6294	OCEANA	6610
1st April	PERSIA	7951		
8th ,,	ARCADIA	6903	MARMORA	10509
15th ,,	EGYPT	7912		
22nd ,,	PENINSULAR	6294	CHINA	7912
29th ,,	CALEDONIA	7558		
6th May	ARCADIA	6903	MOLDAVIA	9500
13th ,,	MACEDONIA	10513		

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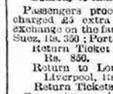

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A. MUIRHEAD,
General Traffic Manager.

Bombay, 5th November, 1904.

BENGAL NAGPUR RAILWAY COPMANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

TENDERS are invited for the SUPPLY of STORES and STATIONERY for the Official Year ending 31st March, 1906, to the Bengal Nagpur Railway Co.

Forms of Tender giving details may be obtained from the Chief Storekeeper, Kharagpur, on payment of Rs. 2.

All covers containing Tenders are to be superscribed "Tenders for Supply of Stores and Stationery" and sealed and addressed to the "Agent and Chief Engineer, Bengal Nagpur Railway, 12, Garden Reach Road, Calcutta."

All Tenders will be opened by the Agent and Chief Engineer at his Office No. 12, Garden Reach Road, Calcutta, on the 2nd January, 1905, at noon.

Special terms of freight over the East Indian, Great Indian Peninsula and Bengal Nagpur Railways will be communicated to intending Tenderers by the Undersigned on application.

Notification of acceptance or rejection of Tenders will be made by the 15th March, 1905.

The Agent and Chief Engineer does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any Tender.

By Order,

D. B. CRITCHLEY,
Chief Storekeeper.

Kharagpur, dated 5th Nov., 1904.

KARACHI PORT TRUST.

FOUR PER CENT DEBENTURE LOAN OF 1904 OF Rs. 21 LAKHS.

WITH the sanction of the Government of India, the Trustees of the Port of Karachi, invite TENDERS for KARACHI PORT TRUST DEBENTURES to the extent of Rs. 10 Lakhs only, as the first issue of the Loan of 21 Lakhs.

Under the powers vested in them by Section 69-A of the Karachi Port Trust Act VI of 1886 as amended by Act II of 1902, the Trustees of the Port of Karachi have reserved unto themselves and set apart the sum of Rs. 5,00,000 (five lakhs) from the above issue of 10 Lakhs.

Debentures will be issued for Rs. 500 or multiples of Rs. 500 as may be required, and will bear interest at the rate of four (4) per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly.

The Loan will be repayable in 30 years.

Instalments will bepayable as follows:—

5 per cent. on application,
20 per cent. on allotment,
25 per cent. on 16th June, 1905,
25 per cent. on 16th September, 1905,
25 per cent. on 16th December, 1905.

Interest will be calculated on the first instalment from date of allotment and it will be allowed on subsequent instalments only from dates when such instalments are due.

The deposit of 5 per cent will be returned if no allotment is made, and it will be forfeited if an allotment is not paid up on due dates.

Tenders will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on FRIDAY, the 16th December, 1904, by the Chairman, Karachi Port Trust, at Karachi, at the office of the Karachi Port Trust, Karachi.

Tenders should be submitted in a sealed cover addressed to the Chairman, Karachi Port Trust, Karachi, and superscribed "Tender for Port Trust Loan."

Forms of tender can be obtained on application to the Manager and Secretary, Karachi Port Trust, and to the Bank of Bombay, Bombay.

Tenderers in Bombay may pay their instalments into the Bank of Bombay, Bombay, to credit of the Karachi Port Trust, and forward that Bank's receipt for the amount so paid.

In accordance with the power contained in Section 20, Clause (f) of the Indian Trusts Act, 1882, the Sadar Court of the Province of Sind has passed a rule declaring that Trust property consisting of money may be invested in Debentures issued by the Trustees of the Port of Karachi under the Local Authorities Loan Act XI of 1879, or other law for the time being in force, until further order. Orders to the same effect have been passed by the Chief Courts and Authorities of Bombay, Madras, Punjab and Lower Burmah.

R. P. BARROW,
Chairman, Karachi Port Trust.

Port Trust Office, Karachi, 1st November, 1904.

NOTICE is hereby given that we have THIS DAY ADMITTED Messrs. JEHANGIR DINSHAW BATHA and ARDESHIR DINSHAW BATHA as PARTNERS in our Firm.

D. P. BATHA AND CO.

Dated this 5th day of November, 1904.

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY COMPANY.

(INCLUDING INDIAN MIDLAND SECTION).

TENDERS FOR THE SUPPLY OF STORES, ETC.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the AGENT at his Office at Victoria Terminus, Bombay, up to 1 p. m. on WEDNESDAY, the 7th December, 1904, for the supply of the Articles noted below during the 12 months commencing from 1st January, 1905:—

B. MISCELLANEOUS COUNTRY STORES.
C. MISCELLANEOUS ENGLISH STORES.
D. STATIONERY.

2. Separate Tender Forms of each of the above, giving particulars of the approximate quantities and description of Stores and Stationery require, and the Conditions on which Tenders will be received, may be obtained on application at the General Storekeeper's Office, Parel, on payment of Rs. 2 for each Form, or Rs. 6 for the set of Three.

3. The Agent reserves the right to select one or more items from any Tender without reference to the other items on the same Tender, and the Tenderer shall be required to supply the same at the rates quoted.

4. Tenders should be superscribed with headings as above (B, C and D) and a Deposit of Rupees One Thousand should accompany each Tender, without which no Tender will be considered. Only Cash, Currency Notes, or Government Promissory Notes will be received as Deposits, and if the latter they must be endorsed in favour of "The Great Indian Peninsula Railway Company, or Order."

5. All Stores to be in accordance with the Company's standard samples, which may be seen at the General Storekeeper's Office, Parel.

6. The Agent does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any Tender.

G. R. WEBB,
General Storekeeper.

General Storekeeper's Office, Parel, 4th November, 1904.

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CHARLES JAMES,
Fleet Surgeon

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Summary of Cotton Exports during the Week
Imports and Exports of Bullion.
Comparative Summaries of Exports from Bombay up to date as per Ships' Manifests, with the total Exports for the month, and for the same period, as far back as 1896 and 1902 respectively.
Comparative Summaries of Imports, of Piece-Goods, and of Yarn into Bombay from Great Britain up to date, with the total for the month, and the same period, as far back as 1896 and 1903, respectively.
Share Lists and Rates of Exchange.
List of Vessels in Bombay Harbour on the date of publication, and Arrivals and Departures of Vessels during the Week.

PUBLIC NOTICATIONS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the PARTNERSHIP subsisting between the Undersigned and carried on under the Name and Style of MADRASWALLA SONS and Co., has been DISSOLVED as from the 13th day of October, 1904.

SORABJEE FRAMJI MADRASWALLA,
No. 8, FRAMJEE MADRASWALLA,
P. S. FRAMJEE MADRASWALLA,
R. S. FRAMJEE MADRASWALLA.

NOTICE is hereby given that the interest and irresponsibility of Mr. N. S. FRAMJEE MADRASWALLA in the firm of SORABJEE FRAMJEE has CEASED from the 7th day of November 1904.

SORABJEE FRAMJI MADRASWALLA,
N. S. FRAMJEE MADRASWALLA.

I HAVE THIS DAY ADMITTED my Sons, Messrs. PHEROZSHA SORABJEE FRAMJEE MADRASWALLA and RUSTOMJEE SORABJEE FRAMJEE MADRASWALLA as PARTNERS in my Firm and the business will hereafter be conducted under the Name and Style of SORABJEE FRAMJEE and Co.

SORABJEE FRAMJEE MADRASWALLA.

Bombay, 8th November, 1904.

ST. ANDREW'S DINNER.

THE ANNUAL DINNER will take place in the TOWN HALL on the EVENING of WEDNESDAY, 30th instant, at 8 o'clock. HIS EXCELLENCY the GOVERNOR has kindly consented to take the Chair. Scotsmen wishing to attend are requested to send their names and the names of their guests to the HONORARY SECRETARIES without delay.

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GEORGE McKENZIE,
Hon. Secretaries,
Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China.

NOTICE is hereby given that WAMAN ANANDRAO and Wasudeo Anandrao of Bombay, Hindu Inhabitants as Administrators of the property and credits of their father ANUNDRAO RAGHUNATH YADKEY have contracted TO SELL the undermentioned property. Any person or persons having any claiming any right, title, or interest in the said property by way of inheritance sale, gift, mortgage lien, or otherwise are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office Oriental Buildings, Esplanade Road, Fort, within 8 days from the date hereof as otherwise the purchase will be completed without regard to any such claim which will be deemed to have been waived.

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WADIA, GHANDY & Co.,
Attorneys for the purchaser.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

EDWARD VII, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

Petition for Probate of the last Will and Testament of JOSHI GANPATRAM RAVASHANKER, of Bombay, Hindu by Caste Audich Talakia Brahman, a Solicitor's Clerk, deceased,

GANGABAI alias GANGAJI, widow of the above-named deceased, and the Sole Executrix named in his Will .....Petitioner.

ALL PERSONS claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the proceedings, if they think fit before the Grant of Probate.

Witness SIR LAWRENCE H. JENKINS, K.C.I.E., Chief Justice at Bombay aforesaid the Fourth day of November in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and four, and in the fourth year of our Reign.

L. N. BANAJI,
Registrar.

The Seal of the High Court of Bombay.

A. M. KAJIJI,
The 4th day of November, 1904.
Messrs. PESTANJEE, RUSTIM & KOLA,
Petitioners' Attorneys.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

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Petition for probate of the last Will and Testament of ISMAIL HAJI USMAN alias MAKI, late of Bombay, Cutchee Memon Mahomedan inhabitant, Merchant, deceased.

1 ABDUL LATIFF ISMAIL .....
2 HAJI HARUN HAJI ADAM and .....
3 HAJI UMAR HAJI HUSEN all of Bombay Cutchee Memon Mahomedans Merchants, residing at Mahomed Hussein Roughcigar Street, three of the executors named in the Will of the abovenamed deceased .....Petitioners,

ALL PERSONS claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the proceedings, if they think fit before the Grant of Probate,

Witness SIR LAWRENCE H. JENKINS, K.C.I.E., Chief Justice at Bombay aforesaid, the Fourth day of November in the year of our Lord, One thousand nine hundred and four and in the fourth year of our Reign.

L. N. BANAJI,
Registrar.

The Seal of the High Court of Bombay.

A. M. KAJIJI,
The 9th day of November, 1904.
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(Following this, the letter given here received from Miss Silke nearly ten months later, has additional interest.)

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LONDON, Nov. 10.

The Bombay mails, of the 28th ultimo, arrived at Brindisi, to-day.

SECURITIES—
2 1-2 per cent. Consols ... £88 5-16 = + 1-8
3 do. Rentes ... 98 1-4 = unchanged
3 1-2 do. Indian Sterling Loan ... £105 1-2 = + 1-4
3 1-2 per cent. Indian Rufocod Rupee Paper ... £85 1-8 = unchanged

SILVER—
Spot in London ... 26 7-9 = do
2 months hence ... 26 3-8 = — 1-16
Spot in New York ... 58 1-4 = unchanged

EXCHANGES—
Paris cheques ... 25·13 1-2 = — 1
Berlin „ ... 20·36 1-2 = — 1-2
New York Demand ... 4·86 1-2 = + 1-8

DISCOUNTS—
Bank of England ... 3 per cent = unchanged
3 months' sight Bank Bills ... 2 7-8 per cent = — 1-8
6 „ „ Fine Trade Bills ... 3 1-8 per cent = unchanged
6 months, eight Fine Trade Bills ... 3 1-2 per cent = do

INTEREST—
Day to day loans ... 2 1-4 per cent = do
7 day market loans ... 2 1-2 per cent = do

SUGAR—
German granulated 1st marks 14 13-16 C.-N. strong.

METALS—
Copper Braziers £73

RUBBER—
Para Rubber 6 value

RAPESEED—
Yellow Cawnpore 33 1-4 N.-D, done steady

LINSEED—
Linseed Bold 31 1-4 N.-D., done easier

COFFEE—
Coffee in New York, 8 1-2

In Liverpool—Cotton Market closed quiet. Surats quiet, Manchester firm, Total sales 7,000. Spot 5·38 —8. Egyptian F. G. F. Brown 8 1-4. Sold on speculation and for Export 300. Imports 14,000. Arrivals closed steady.

Nov.-Dec.	Dec.-Jan.	Jan.-Feb.
5·29	5·29	5·31
—3	—3	—3
Feb.-Mch.	Mch-Apl.	April-May.
5·33	5·35	5·37
+1	+1	+1
May-June	June-July	July-Aug.
5·35	5·38	5·38
+1	+1	+1

Official quotations of the Bombay Cotton Trade Association, Limited :—

	Gts.	Fine	F.-G. Gd.	Dely.
Bengal (H.-G.) (Ry.terms) ...	200	190	...	25 Dec.
Bengals (H.-G.) (Ry.terms)...	198	185	...	25 Jan
Oomrawatee(descriptions)M.-G.	212	...	...	25 do.
Khandeish (M.-G.) ...	...	200	203	25 Dec.
Do. do. ...	...	206	200	25 Jan.
Khangaum fair staple (H-G)	219	...	...	25 do.
Karanja do. do. do.				
Akola do. do. do.				
Dhamangaum Poolgaum (MG)	221	...	...	do.
Nagpur Kamptee (M.-G.)...	223	...	...	do.
Broach (M.-G.) ...	250	...	...	1/25 Mar.
Do. (M.-G.) ...	...	...	238	15/25 do.
Jalgaon (M. G.) ...	...	212	206	'25 Dec.
Do. (M.-G.) ...	...	209	203	25 Jan.
Bengal (M. G.) ...	...	207	197	25 Nov
Do.	...	201	191	25 Dec.
Do.	...	200	190	25 Jan
Sind-Punjab... ...	...	207	207	25 Nov
Do.	...	201	191	25 Dec
Do.	...	200	190	25 Jan.

SEEDS AND WHEAT.

We have to report another quiet week in these markets. Advices from home continue quiet, and there is little change to record in prices.

LINSEED.—At the decline reported last mail there has been some inquiry from shippers, and a moderate business was put through at Rs. 5-9 to Rs. 5-10 per cwt.

RAPESEED.—In this article also a moderate demand exists and a small turnover is reported at Rs. 4-14 for Brown Cawnpore and Rs. 5-5 for Yellow Cawnpore.

CASTORSEED.—The market is quiet and price is quoted Rs. 22 to Rs. 22 1/2 per candy with little doing.

POPPYSEED.—Quotations are unchanged at Rs. 5-5 to Rs. 5-6 per cwt with a small demand from shippers.

GINGELLYSEED.—In this market prices are the same as last week. Receipts for the week are moderate, but both buyers and sellers show little anxiety to operate.

WHEAT—This market is quiet but steady with a small business reported for export.

Week's Arrivals of Cotton, Wheat and Seeds into Bombay :—

Cotton ...	24,585 bales
Wheat ...	184,442 cwts.
Linseed ...	31,368 „
Rape, Rai and Mustard ...	9,933 „
Gingellyseed ...	33,092 „
Poppyseed ...	420 „
Groundnuts ...	491 „
Castorseed ...	11,015 „
Rice ...	33,887 „
Myrabollams ...	3,873 „
Cottonseed ...	31,579 „
Mowrassed ...	6,039 „
Grain ...	4,291 „
Joowar ...	20,836 „
Maize ...	1,436 „

SEEDS—

	Rs. a. p.		
Linseed.—Tone quiet. Ready	5 10 0	to	5 11 0
Rapeseed.—Tone quiet. Brown Cawnpore, Ready.	4 13 0	to	4 14 0
Yellow Cawnpore, Ready.	5 5 0	to	5 6 0
Poppyseed.—Tone steady. Ready	5 6 0		
Castorced—Tone quiet. Ready	Rs. 22 to 22 1-2		

GINGELLYSEED.—Tone quiet.
Howree Khandeish.....Rs. 35 1-2 to 36.
15 per cent Mixed.....Rs. 34 3-4 to 35. Dec-Jan

FREIGHT.

THIS market has ruled very firm from the sellers' point of view, but shippers are only moderate buyers at current rates. A certain amount of business was done in the Devali and the moorut quotations at which bookings reported are as follows :—

November..... 17s. S.W.C. p.p.
December..... 16s. 6d. „ p.p.
January to May ..... 16s. „ p.p.

A Clan Line steamer is reported fixed for November loading at 17s. 6d., and it is rumoured that a steamer was fixed for January at 15. 6d.

MONEY.

BANK RATE.—

Bank of England since 21st April		3	per cent.
Bank of Bombay	do 20th October	5	do
Bank of Bengal	do 13th October	5	do
Bank of Madras	do 6th July	4	do

The following is the Weekly Statement of the Bank of Bombay for the week ending 5th November as compared with that of the previous week.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.		
Public Deposits	9,43,150	Decrease	
Other Deposits	13,53,433	do	
Sundries	62,574	Increase	
ASSETS.			
Government Securities	2,50,432	Decrease	
Other Authorized Securities ...	64,310	do	
Deposits on Securities	3,32,859	Increase	
Loans, do.	22,15,992	Decrease	
Bills discounted & purchased...	85,302	Increase	
Balance with other Banks ...	5,21,421	Decrease	
Sundries	25,954	Increase	
Cash	3,86,016	do	

These figures show a decline of about 5 lakhs in the trade demand.

The weekly cash balance of the Bank of Bengal shows a decline of Rs. 73 lakhs and that of the Bank of Madras a rise of 3 lakhs.

The Directors of the Bank of Bengal raised their official rate 1 per cent, to 6 per cent. per annum, on Thursday morning, but the Bank of Bombay and the Bank of Madras remain unchanged, at 5 and 4 per cent. respectively. The money market shows a hardening tendency and there is a distinctly increased inquiry for moving crops from up-country. There is a good demand from the Banks for short fixed deposits for three months at about 4 per cent. per annum.

PAPER CURRENCY RESERVE.

The following are the latest returns as published in the "Gazette of India" for the 31st October.

Silver coin ... Rs. 12,31,61,768
Gold coin and bullion ... Rs. 15,75,40,866
Silver held as security ... Rs. 7,88,36,501
Total of notes in circulation ... Rs. 39,44,88,080.

COUNCIL BILLS.

The total amount of Council Bills sold during the week ending on Tuesday evening was 1,19·40 lakhs. At the weekly allotment on Wednesday, ninety lakhs was put up for tender, of which amount 39·70 lakhs was taken in bills at 1s. 4 3-32d. and the balance, 51·30 lakhs in telegraphic transfer at 1s. 4 1-8d these rates being one thirty second in advanced of those obtained last week, Tenderers received 55 per cent. For next week the amount is advanced by thirty lakhs to one hundred and twenty lakhs, which, we believe, establishes a record.

Some small extra allotments were advised Rs. 30,000 in bills at 1s. 4 1-8d. and one lakh in transfers at 1s. 4 5-32d.

The mail of the 28th October brings £90,000 silver and £60,000 gold, for Bombay and the following Council Bills :—

Calcutta ...	Rs.	28,90,000
Bombay ...	„	32,60,000
Madras ...	„	6,70,000
Total...	Rs.	68,20,000

The mail of the 4th November brings £150,000 silver, and £50,000 gold, for Bombay and the following Council Bills :—

Calcutta ...	Rs.	48,20,000
Bombay ...	„	35,70,000
Madras...	„	3,20,000
Total...	Rs.	87,10,000.

The mail of the 11th November brings £130,000 silver, and £50,000 gold, for Bombay, and the following Council Bills :—

Calcutta ...	Rs.	24,40,000
Bombay ...	„	14,60,000
Madras ...	„	nil
Total...	Rs.	39,00,000

This steamer also brings for Calcutta £130,000 silver and £10,000 gold.

EXCHANGE.

The Banks were closed on Monday and Tuesday, for the Diwalli holidays. On Wednesday, morning the market opened firm and on Thursday, after the allotment of Council Bills, some Banks came out as sellers of on Demand at 1s. 4 1-8d., for the mail at which rate a moderate business was done by the bazaar. The Bank's buying rate for 3 months' sight D. A. credits was raised to 1s. 4 5-16d. for November-December delivery, and 1s 4 11-32d for January-February. Mercantile paper is still scarce in the local market, and we hear of little offered for sale either for near or forward delivery.

Exchange—Tone quieter.

Bank T.T. ...				1s 4 3-32d.
Bank Demand ...				1s. 4 3-32d.
Credit Bills 3 Months' Sight D. A.				1s. 4 7-16d.
Do 6	do	do		1s. 4 7-16d.
French Francs 8	do	do	.....	171
Marks 3	do	do	.....	138 1-2
Hongkong 30	Days'	Sight	.....	135 1-2
Shanghai 30	do	do	.....	189 1-2
Japan 30	do	do	.....	148

GOVERNMENT PAPER.

The firmness in the money market has caused a decline in the price of 3 1/2 per cent. Rupee-paper. During the Diwalli holidays a fairly large business was put through in the bazaar at Rs. 97 for the coming settlement. When the Banks re-opened after the holidays the price declined to Rs 96/12 following Calcutta advices, but at steadier tone has since prevailed, and we quote at the close Rs 96/15 for cash and account.

3 1-2 per cent. cash...	Rs.	97-2
3 1-2 per cent. 30th November...	Rs.	97-2
3 per cent. ready...	Rs.	86-8

	Repayable.	Rate.
4 per cent Bombay Port Trust ...	1923	104 12
4 per cent „ „ ...	1930	105 0
4 per cent „ „ ...	1932	105 0
4 per cent „ „ ...	1934	105 0
3 per cent Bombay Municipal ...	1926	103 8
4 per cent „ „ ...	1934	104 12
5 per cent „ „ ...	1943	104 12
5 per cent „ „ ...	Tansa	116 117
5 per cent „ „ ...	Sanitary	115 116
4 per cent Bo. Impt. Trust ...	1959	103 12
4 per cent „ „ ...	1964	103 12

BULLION.

The silver market has fluctuated a little during the week. The daily off take is about 50 to 60 bars, and as the stock is being gradually absorbed, the difference between ready and forward delivery has ruled about 3/8ths of a rupee higher for spot. At the close the market is steady at our quotations, as noted below. There is a moderate businesss passing in gold.

	Rs a. p.
English Bar Gold...	23 15 0
Australian Bar Gold...	23 15 0
Bombay do. ...	24 0 0
English Shield Sovereigns...	15 2 0
Do Dragons...	15 0 0
Silver ex-duty Ready ...	68 8 0
Do. 1st settlement...	68 8 0
Do 2nd do ...	68 2 0

PIECE GOODS.

The good demand for better class Nainsook continues, and there is fair enquiry for other qualities of Nainsooks, Mills Jacconets and Grey Shirtings. Prices are firm and much the same as last week. Fancies, Dhooties and Prints are neglected with rices barely steady. Practically no new business has been done owing to the distant shipment required by Manchester.

LOCAL YARNS.

The market is steady with a fair enquiry. The sales reported during the week amount to about 14,000 Bales, but this includes some 6,000 bales resales made in Diwalli. Quotations are slightly lower than last week.

METALS.

As the price of Copper and Yellow Metal has advanced considerably at home, and it would not pay dealers to buy at present. No business ready or forward was done during Diwalli. In Iron and Steel only a small business is reported to have been put through. Spelter continues to advance, and consequently only a little was done. Quicksilver is quiet. Pigiead trim and advancing, with no inquiry.

SHARES.

The market is steady and some of the Mill shares have improved in price during the week. Bank of Bombay shares are reported to have changed hands at Rs. 1290. In Railway Companies, Tapti Valleys have changed hands at Rs 380, Ahmedabad Prantej at Rs 507. 1-2, Ahmedabad Dholka are quiet at Rs 99. In Miscellanous list Alcocks have changed hands at Rs 282. Badham Piles at Rs 58, Bombay Burmas have changed hands at Rs 8,000 Quarter shares at Rs 2,025. Bombay Ice shares at Rs 46 Port Cannings at Rs 132 1-2, Treachers are at Rs 505, Kemps at Rs 244, Bombay Telephones at Rs. 26. In Press Companies mofussils have improved to Rs. 542 1-2, New Berars are quiet at Rs. 490, Indian Cotton have changed hands at Rs 43 3/4. In Mill shares Central Indias are unchanged at Rs. 545, Swadeshis have improved to Rs 900 ; Standards to Rs 460, Davids to Rs 230 ; Currimbhais to Rs 675, Chinas to Rs. 560 , Queen Mill shares to Rs. 545; Maneckji Petits to Rs. 2,100 X.D. Morarjis and Sholahpurs have changed hands at Rs. 1,830 and Rs 1,900 respectively. Southern Maratha Mill shares have advanced to 140 X.D.

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THE B I S N Co's steamer Okara 3469 tons Captain H E Fenwicke will sail to-day for Calcutta in ballast.

THE B I S N Co's steamer Banodora 2197 tons Captain A G Abbott sailed yesterday for Calcutta via Coast ports with a general cargo and 12 deck passengers.

THE steamer Adato, 2145 tons, Captain J Brodie, arrived in harbour yesterday from Calcutta, with a cargo of coal.

THE Hansa Line steamer Axenfel, 2228 tons, Captain A Weshmann, arrived in harbour on Thursday evening, from Hamburg, via Antwerp with a general cargo.

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Torpedo Boat Baluchi— ....
Do Ka en— ....
Do Pachan— ....

VESSELS IN THE HARBOUR,—Nov. 11.

Vessel.	Ton.	Capt.	Destination.	Date.	Agent.
H M S Porpoise	.....	Comdr...	Rotham		Royal Navy
Sicilia	.....		Weston		Transport
India	.....	2591	Forbes		M M & Co
Bengal	.....	2702	Phillips		M M & Co
Bancoora	.....	2195	Abbott		M M & Co
Kaisa	.....	498	Mohamed		M M & Co
Oakfield	.....	3329	Fenwick		M M & Co
Nuddea	.....	1944	Scott		M M & Co
Mongolia	.....	4399	London	12-11	P & S N Co
Madura	.....	1276	.....		M M & Co
Africa	.....	1.02	.....		M M & Co
Axenfels	.....	2.2	.....		Weshmann, Glove & Co
Adato	.....	2145	.....		Brodie & Co
Egypt	.....	1175	.....		London ..... P & O Co

VESSELS IN DOCKS.

PRINCE'S DOCK.

A Cromwell.....1971 Sutherland.....B I S N Co
C City of Oxford.....2693 Hardy Karachi 15-11 K M & Co
S One Sinclair...18.2 H G Pagan...Hull .....11-11 F Smur & Co
S Saamanund...1292 Gaing...Red Sea Ports...12-11 B & S N Co
H Gulf of Trinidad 1701 Hudson R Sea Ports...10-11 B&S N Co
H Oswell.....2145 Frame...Hull..12-11 W & A Graham & Co
T Ripon.....502 M Salmon...Rotterdam...12-11 Shpd & Co
M Santhia .....3302 Phillips.....Genoa.....15-11 M M & Co
N Granby Hall ..2953 Jones...Antwerp 15-11.....M M & Co
Q Hampstead...1852 ...Meadows...London...10-11 S Baumsley

P. DOCK M. D. D.

Putiala .....1929 Hous on S...22-11 ar...16-11...M M & Co

P. DOCK H. WALL.

Sabramat.....517 Asmoo.....Sugar..1-11 Shepherd & Co

VICTORIA DOCK.

Shed. Vessel. Ton. Capt. Destinations. Date. Agent.
2 Mashita...2260 Robinson...Liverpool 12-11 W & A G & Co
3 R Rubattino .....304 Sapori...Genoa..15-11 G Ferrero
4 Capri.....2718 Boast.....China.....17-11 G Ferrero
9 Arcadia (s.s.) .....1411 Calder.....Aden .....12-11 P & O Co
16 Cromwell.....1977 Schoel.....Antwerp .....22-11 M M & Co

HARBOUR WALL P. DOCK.

Puri.....643 Ahmed.....Karachi.....12-11 Shpd & Co
Satrunji.....917 Casem.....Mangalore.....11-11 Shpd & Co

ARRIVALS.

Nov.	Vessel	Commander	From
10	Axenfels	Weshmann..	Hamburg Oct 8
11	Adato	Brodie	Calcutta, Oct 31
	Egypt	London	London, Oct 21

DEPARTURES.

Nov.	Vessel.	Commander.	Destination.
11	Baron Balfour s ...	Bridge	Calcutta
	Dumra s	Williams	Karachi
	Armand Behic.....	Dumonet	Australia
	Bancoora s	Abbott	Calcutta, Co

The following vessels obtained their port clearances yesterday:—
Steamer Oxford, Frame for Hull
" Okara Fenwick for Calcutta
The steamer Nuddea, entered for loading yesterday for Rangoon.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The Bombay mails of 28th ultimo arrived at Brindisi on the 10th instant.
The City Line Co's s s Knowleys Hall arrived Suez from Bombay afternoon of 10th instant.
The Clan Line Co's s s Clan MacKay left Liverpool morning of the 10th instant.
Clan Ogilvy left Suez, morning of the 10th instant and Clan Macfadyen arrived Suez from Colombo Madras and Calcutta evening of the 8th instant.

DAILY EXPORTS,—NOVEMBER 11.

FOR LONDON.
Hampstead s—40 0 cwts cot onseed Nagoo Khairaz and Co; 29 bales hemp Purshotam Balmjee; 200 cwts wheat Rall Brother 200 cwts rape seed David Sassoon and Co
FOR ANTWERP.
Grantley Hall s—35 bales cotton The Bombay Company; 55 bales cotton E Schuster and Co; 2,000 cwts Maize Wagjee Bechur; 100 bales hemp Purshotam Balmjee.
FOR MARSEILLES
Massilia s—2268 cwts teaseed Rallt Brothers; 930 cwts gingelly seed John Fachiri; 1000 cwts mohuseed at C Michaelis and Co.
FOR GENOA,
R Rubattino s—930 bales cotton R ll Brothers.
FOR ALEXANDRIA.
R Rubat ino s—999 cwts teaseed Rallt Brothers.
FOR HONGKONG.
Capri s—1001 bales twist Sas oon J David and Co; 60 cwts oilcakum D Gaegee; 1 0 bales twist E D Sassoon and Co; 200 bales twist Sas E Sassoon; 400 bales twist Tainli and Co; 21 cwts cloves R Ratanrulna; 100 bales twist J David; 300 bales cotton and 600 bales twist C Abraham and Co; 26 c s 6 cwts bales s s Mowji 257 cwts drug Hau Yan Shun and Co; 5 cwts starakins Visram Ukar
Bengal s—15 cases opium Silas E Sassoon; 33 chests opium P and O S N Co
FOR SHANGHAI.
Bengal s—500 bales twist Talati and Co 100 bales twist Framjee Sons and Co
Capri s—270 bales twist N J Abraham; 500 bales twist Talat and Co; 60 bales twist Silas E Sassoon

DIVINE SERVICE.

ST. THOMAS' CATHEDRAL.
XXIV SUNDAY, AFTER TRINITY, NOV. 13.
7-30 a.m.—Matins.
9 a.m.—Holy Communion—Choral Agatter in G.
Hymns—182, 396, and 403.
5 p.m.—Children's Service.
6 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon.
Canticles—Gounod in A.
Hymns—160, 251 and 370.
Collections for—a hannal a Convalescent Home.
Daily Matins at 6-45 a.m. and evensong at 5.
Daily H.Ly Communion at 7-15 a.m.

CHURCH OF ST. MARY THE VIRGIN, PAREL.
(Madras Time)
8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
6-30 p.m.—evensong and Sermon by the Rev. J. Davis of the C.M.S.
Hymns—232, 230 and 657.

WESLEYAN CHURCH.
(Colaba Causeway.)
8 a.m.—Parade Service Preacher—Rev Games Lyall.
6 p.m.—Evening Service, Preacher—Rev. C. Ryder Smith B.A.
4-30 p.m.—Sunday School.
5-30 to 9-30 p.m.—Prayer Meeting.
(Wesleyan Church, Victoria Gardens, Byculla.)
9-30 a.m.—Preacher—Rev. A. G. Revnell.
6 p.m.—Preacher—
4-30 p.m.—Sunday School—Rev. A.G. Revnell.

MISSION CHURCH, GIRGAUM.
7-45 a.m.—Litany, Holy Communion and Sermon, (by)
6 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon.
Collections for the New Y. M. C. A. Building Fund.

ST. PETERS MAZAGON.
6 a. m.—Holy Eucharist.
7 a. m.—Solemn Eucharist—Choral.
10 a. m.—Catechising.
6 p.m.—Evensong (Choral)—Evensong—Preacher—Rev Father Bisco.
Alms for the all Poor.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, MALABAR HILL.
No service.

ST. NICHOLAS' SEAMEN'S CHURCH,
(Opposite the Main Gate of Prince's Dock.)
10-30 a. m.—Matins and Sermon.
6-30 p. m.—Evensong and Sermon.
7 p. m.—Wednesdays Evensong and Sermon.
Oliver W. E. Grant Harbour Chaplain.

BAPTIST CHURCH.
(Bellasis Road, opposite Byculla Club.)
8 a. m.—Morning Service—Preacher Rev J O'Brien.
6 p.m.—Evening Service—Preacher Rev J O'Brien.

THE UNITED FREE CHURCH OF SCOTLAND,
(Waudby Road.)
8 a.m.—Children's Service—C H Robert, Esq.
11 a. m.—Joint Service (in St Andrew's Church—Rev J Cameron, B D.
6 p.m.—Evening Service—Rev Dr Mackichan,

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH,
(Church of Scotland.)
11 a.m—Joint Morning Service.
6 p.m.—Evening Service.
Psalms—23 Tune 264.
Hymn—229—136
Hymn—420.
Hymn—350.
Annual Collection to the Scottish Orphanage.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH.
7-30 a.m.—Matins.
8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
Hymns—543, 311 and 193.
5 p.m. Children's Service.
6 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon.
Hymns—510, 213 and 224.
Offertories for Church Expenses.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLES.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS BY LIEUT-COL. E. FERRERS NICHOLSON, COMMANDING,
Bombay, November 12.

1 Arms and Equipment are now being issued to members at Head-Quarters on every week day between the hours of 6-30 a. m. and 5-30 p. m. No arms &c. will be issued to any member not applying in person.
2 The Range at Ghat Cooper will be available for Class Firing on the 12th and 13th instant. Members are requested to take advantage of this and try to complete their Class Firing. Ranges 200, 300 and 500 yards.
3 The 103rd Bombay Infantry Rifles Range at Santa Cruz will be available for Class Firing on Sunday next the 13th instant, Ranges from 600, 700 and 800 yards.
4 There will be Company Drill for "F" Company at St. Mary's College, Byculla on Tuesday next, the 15th instant a 5-15 p.m.
Dress—Plain Clothes side arms to be worn.

By Order,
G. D. PRICE, Captain,
Adjutant B. V. R.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS, BY LT.-COL. LOUIS P. RUSSELL, COMMANDING B. V. A.
Bombay, November 12.

NOTICE.
A conversazione and dance will be held at the Nesbit Lane Headquarters on Friday, the 18th instant.
Tickets to admit member and two Ladies Re. 1.
Tickets to admit Non member and 1 Lady re. 2.
Tickets can be had from Non-C of Sub-Division or at the Club Apollo Bunder.
Dancing to commence at 9 p.m.

By Order
A. STIFFE, Capt. R. A.
Adjt. B. V. A.

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SATURDAY, NOV. 12, 1904.

THE NORTH SEA OUTRAGE.

THE mail brings us the text of Admiral Rozhdestvenskky's version of the North Sea incident, and no one reading it will, we think, express surprise at the indignant criticism of the English and Continental press. He sent two messages. The first was apparently held to be insufficient by the Russian Minister of Marine and the supplementary one followed. In the former the Admiral told the story of the two torpedo-boats "which without showing any lights, under cover of darkness, advanced to attack the vessel steaming at the head of the detachment. The detachment endeavoured to spare the fishing-boats and ceased fire as soon as the torpedo boats were out of sight." If they imagined torpedo boats would wait for them to open fire and then steam out of sight Admiral Rozhdestvensky's officers must have strange ideas as to the precise duties a torpedo-boat is called upon to perform. Had there been an enemy's torpedo-boat among the fishing fleet that night, the Russian squadron would have been sunk one by one, and two torpedoers could have accomplished that task by the time they were preparing to open fire. The first telegram too gives an insight into Russian ideas of that which is expected of the representatives of civilised nations in warfare:—"The detachment did not assist the small steam craft, because it suspected them of complicity in view of their obstinate persistence in cutting the line of a vivance of the warships." They saw "one of the torpedo-boats" sink and admit that they offered no assistance. If then they have the fortune to sink a Japanese cruiser they will let the crew drown "holus bolus" because they "suspect them of complicity." The story of the ship which stood by till dawn without rendering assistance is said by Admiral Rozhdestveasky to have been a foreigner and that she was searching for the other torpedo-boat which they sunk. The second message is much stronger than the first, and in it the Admiral ceases to regard the presence of the fisher boats on the Dagger Bank as legitimate and professes to believe they were "imprudently involved in his enterprise."

The Hull fishermen unanimously and emphatically deny the Russian Admiral's suggestion concerning vessels even like torpedo-boats being amongst them. They characterise his statement that any vessel moved about rapidly, amongst the fleet as a fabrication. Evidence damaging to the Admiral's statement has since come in from various sources. A steam trawler which was lying beyond the Hull fleet reports that the last of the Russian fleet fired at her at seven o'clock on the morning after the outrage, the shot passing through the funnel and foremast. Besides this the German trawler Sonntag and the Swedish steamer Aldebaran report having been fired at by the Russians. The German story is that on the evening of the 21st ultimo, search-lights were thrown on to him and "immediately afterwards the first shells fell in our vicinity. A Russian ship fired in all directions and as many as eighty shots a minute." A cargo steamer came alongside and drew the fire upon herself. "We could see the shells falling close to this steamer." Furthermore the German says she was bombarded for two and a half hours, but was not hit. Two and a half hours is a long time and almost long enough to convert a bad shot into a marksman. But one part of the story is confirmed by the Swede whose commander gave evidence on oath at Gefle. They fell in with the Baltic fleet, and he and his men saw shells burst in the air, and though they were not hit, they fell near the steamer. They supposed quick-firing guns were used, but both captain and crew are convinced the Russians distinctly saw the Swedish flag. On the Continent as throughout England the Russian Admiral's story is ridiculed and the tendency is to accept the version reported by the "Times" correspondent at Hull who has "no doubt whatever that the outrage was deliberate," especially when it is remembered that the advance ships had the supposed information as to Japanese designs as well as those in rear. It is all very well, he remarks, to say that Russian seamen are inexperienced and ignorant and do not know a fishing boat when they see one, but that is nonsense. "The dullest and most ignorant rustic would know a fishing boat the first time he ever saw one at work as these were; and, moreover, the Russian ships are very largely manned by Finns, who are the best seamen they have. The Finns know the North Sea and all the ins and outs of the fishing fraternity as well as any men; they could no more make a mistake about the Hull fleet than the Hull fishermen themselves."

Russia professes to believe in the Admiral's story. Admiral Wirenius told a St. Petersburg correspondent he might assert categorically that without doubt Admiral Rozhdestvensky's ships were attacked by torpedo boats. In reply to a French question, where did the torpedo-boats come from? St. Petersburg says they came by the northern route and last touched at Iceland. The comment of the "Novoe Vremya" is a typical example of Russian truculence. Says our contemporary: "With the consciousness of right we can now reply with dignity and without superfluous phrases or bellicose utterances to the wild articles of the British Press." The lessons of the first days of the war, it continues, have not been wasted, and the new and treacherous attack by the Japanese has been met by "the vigilant and pitiless eye of our Admiral and the straight fire of our guns. If Great Britain can rely on numerical superiority on the sea, and if she threatens us with violence and unjustified vengeance, we should remember that it is not in the spirit of the Russian people to yield to menace. Our only guide has been and will be our consciousness of truth and right, and our trust is in God in our struggle for the objects of our hope." Cant and hypocrisy could go no further. "Consciousness of truth and right and our trust in God." The Continental press joins that of England in contemptuous reproach. A leading German journal puts the explanation of the incident pithily, and remarks "Nervous fear of the Japanese gives the Russian Admiral no right to regard himself as lord of the sea." In the Russian capital however so carefully has the news been manipulated that it is firmly believed the alleged torpedo attack on the Tsar's ships was planned by Great Britain and it is even declared that the torpedo craft which made the attack were British. A torpedo-attack—and the Russians have nothing to show for it unless it is now proposed to explain that the damages Admiral Rozhdestvensky reported at Vigo were sustained in the fight with the Hull trawlers. On one point the French journals were unanimous that Russia, having acted contrary to the authorised and friendly advice of France, could not expect her to take her side in case of a war begun over a fit of madness and in which none of their interests would be threatened. The "Temps" goes further, declaring that all the explanations in the world will not put Russia in the right and the sooner she makes a proper "amende" the better for her prestige; the whole affair is anything but to Russia's credit. That is the key-note of the criticism of Europe, whilst America, more bluntly declares that Admiral Rozhdestvensky is not mentally responsible for his actions.

THE RECENT OPERATIONS IN NIGERIA.

THE despatches relating to the recent operations in Northern and Southern Nigeria are published in the "London Gazette" of October 28, received by yesterday's mail and make up a full and interesting account of all that happened between the 7th July, 1902, and June 1903. During the period mentioned, troops in forces varying from 100 to 400 combatants had to be employed on twelve separate occasions, chiefly in preventing or punishing outbreaks connected with inter-tribal warfare. While it is evident that neither from a political or military point of view these operations can be compared in importance to the Aro Expedition of 1901-02, it is incontestable that the work done reflects great credit on the officers and men engaged. The difficulties of carrying out military operations of the kind in question are gauged not so much by the amount of resistance to be encountered as by the climatic and physical conditions of the country, and in the case of the operations under notice the troops, while having plenty of fighting, had to operate in a country which was either swamp, dense bush or waterless. In most cases order could not be restored in the affected district without fighting, there having been 19 serious engagements, and 201 days during which fighting on a lesser scale took place, or the troops were exposed to that worst of all forms of resistance, sniping fire. As illustrating the difficulties which had to be overcome by the officers and men engaged, the following accounts of two of the principal expeditions are interesting. On the 22nd February Captain and Brevet-Major Henniker, D. S. O., in command of a force, entered the Igarra country, with instructions to capture Chief Odukukaiku, a bandit who for some time past had terrorised his neighbours. After a careful reconnaissance on the previous day, the force advanced on the 24th February to the only known crossing over a river four miles from Oborathi. At this point strenuous resistance was met. Major Henniker in his report says:—"The stream here is swift running water about 30 yards wide, with high and very steep banks, and, from what the guides said, unfordable. There was one narrow slippery log by which to cross and half of that under water. The enemy had built a stockade, with mud walls at intervals all along their bank, which commanded the log and one side of the river. The 75 millimetre gun was brought to bear on the stockade, and the troops so placed that the enemy's fire might be subdued as far as possible, while one section endeavoured to force the passage and seize the weakened stockade. The section selected for this dangerous work dashed across the log, and drove the enemy out extending in the bush on the far side to cover the crossing of the remainder." On the 31st March Colonel A. F. Montanaro, in command of a force concentrated at Oguta, east of the Niger and in Owerri District, with instructions, firstly, to punish the Oris who had attacked Mr. Scott, had raided the country of the Umbidis and had blocked the trade with the Niger; secondly, to punish the people of Omonoha (who had attacked Mr. F. Winn Sampson), and destroy the Igwe Juju by which the neighbouring country was terrorised; and thirdly, if time permitted before the commencement of the heavy rains to punish the people of Ebima who were attacking neighbouring tribes and blocking trade. The column left Oguta on April 3, and camped at Umbidi, where the enemy commenced hostilities by attacking the water picquet. This picquet was attacked by the enemy, and a sharp engagement ensued, resulting in the enemy retiring behind a long line of trenches covering the town of Amvoka. A reconnaissance showed that the approach to this town was defended by staked pits and by trenches. The advance was made in extended order, and the flanks of the trenches were thus turned; as a result, the resistance was weak until the troops reached the chief's compound where the enemy made a determined stand, and several casualties were inflicted on the troops. Further fighting took place at Omochima, but on the 15th April the paramount Chief Isiobi surrendered. Lieutenant Colonel A. Festing mentions the names of a number of officers in his Despatches whose services in his opinion are deserving of recognition.

CHURCH AND STATE IN FRANCE

THE vote of confidence, which the French Government received in approval of M. Combes' ecclesiastical policy, was sufficiently striking. After a two days' debate the declarations of the Premier in favour of the separation of Church and State were approved by a majority of eighty eight. But that does not imply that the Church will be disestablished in France to-morrow or the day after; nor does the fact that the Premier on Thursday introduced a Bill to effect the separation he desires. It is not improbable that France will still be discussing the same question some years hence, but M. Combes has scored in his conflict with the Vatican by securing the approval of the Chamber on the principal of separation. It is clear that the majority who voted their confidence are not prepared to sanction any definite proposals without considering them. In the course of the debate, M. Combes declared that the transition would be delicate and required that separation should be effected without agitation and with just consideration. The Clericals have gained the impression that having secured approval for his policy, the Premier is in no hurry to carry it out. Probably he would have been better pleased if the termination of the Concordat had created an independent Gallic Church; for a disestablished Church governed by the Vatican is likely to be a stronger force than a pliable body of ecclesiastics supported by the State. If M. Combes had any hopes of an independent French Church, they were destroyed by the submission to some of the Bishops of Laval and Dijon. However that may be, the debate on the vote of confidence, has made his present position clear. He affirmed that those who would negotiate with the Holy See either for the interpretation of the Concordat or for the elaboration of a new convention would be dupes and accomplices. The Prime Minister would be neither a dupe nor an accomplice. He declared himself determined that the State should resume its complete independence in presence of the Church and at the same time ensure for Religious Associations the largest measure of liberty of public worship compatible with the other public liberties. These sentiments were approved by the majority, though there is a suggestion that professional politicians were somewhat influenced by the desire not to hasten a general election before its natural time. On the other hand the Radicals and Socialists have not hesitated to affirm that the Ministry exists at their pleasure, and they will not be content with the mere assertion of principle. How far they will go towards hastening the accomplishment of the approved policy remains to be seen, but although a Bill has been introduced, it does not seem unsafe to prophesy that the question will not be decided until the country has had an opportunity of pronouncing upon the issue.

THE SOUTH AFRICAN FREIGHT WAR.

ACCORDING to a London correspondent the South African freight war has reached a very interesting phase. He says that a syndicate is being formed to oppose the shipping ring, and the most important fact is that the British South Africa Company and the South African Governments have promised to join in. At present these bodies are not in a bad position. Their goods are carried by the ring for about 17s. 6d. a ton, while the ordinary trader has to pay from 25s. to 50s. a ton. But they consider the general interests of South African trade rather than their own, and the Governments, at any rate, have no "time contract" with the ring to prevent them from sending their goods by other lines. The new power is reported to be a syndicate of lines strong enough to maintain a regular service and to defy the absorption into the ring which overtook the last effort to fight the ring's charges. If they are really in earnest about the matter, they will win and the British development of the country will make rapid progress.

THE Yacht Club dinner to the officers of the French squadron has been postponed to Saturday evening next.

THE French squadron which has been expected in Bombay for some days reached Karachi on Thursday afternoon. The vessels will remain there for three or four days and after coaling and provisioning will come on to Bombay. The squadron consists of the warships Descartes, Sabre and Francisque, and torpedo-boats Nos. 245, 246, 247, 248, 249 and 254.

AMONGST the passengers who arrived in Bombay yesterday from Europe, by the P. and O. Co.'s mail steamer Egypt, were:—Brigadier-General and Mrs. Greenfield, Mr. Justice B. G. Cadell, Brigadier-General E. Hamilton, Hon. Mr. Justice and Mrs. Henderson, Sir J. and Lady Maclean, two Misses Maclean-Hon. Mr. Justice Sale, Mrs. Sale and child, Hon. Mr. Justice Stephen, Hon. Mr. Justice Woodroffe, Hon. Mr. Justice Boddilly, H. H. Maharajah Bahadur, Lord Montgomerie, Madam Burnett and Nawab Kushru Jung.

SIR DENZIL IBBETSON, Home Member, will return from leave on the 24th December, the Hon'ble Mr. Hewett thereafter reverting to the Central Provinces.

THE Hon'ble Mr. Lely, C. S. I., who completes his thirty-five years' service on the 8th December, will continue to officiate as Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces until Mr. Hewett's return early in January.

THE North Sea outrage was associated with more than one anniversary. Russia's "Naval Victory" was secured on the anniversary of Trafalgar and four days later came the fiftieth anniversary of the defeat of the Russians by British troops at Balaclava. In present circumstances, remarked a home paper on October 25th, the anniversary of the repulse of General Liprandi's army will be celebrated with particular emphasis.

MR. F. NATHAN, C. I. E., has taken up his new post of Private Secretary to the Viceroy, Mr. J. O. Miller, C. S. I., being placed on special duty as Chairman of the Survey Committee, which assembles at Calcutta next week.

THE arrangement by which matters affecting the trade routes and external affairs of Sikkim, Bhutan and the Chumbi Valley are under the Government of India will continue for the present. Mr. Claude White, Political Officer in Sikkim, will exercise the necessary authority locally.

As now arranged the frontier branch of the Foreign Department of Government of India will open in Calcutta on the 16th instant, Mr. E. I. S. Clarke C. I. E. Deputy Secretary, leaves Simla for Calcutta next Monday, Mr. Somers Cocks and Mr. Russell, Under Secretaries, arrive in Calcutta about 25th instant.

THE Viceroy and Lady Ampthill gave a dinner at the Viceregal Lodge Simla last night to the British officers of the Cabul Mission who leave Simla for Peshwer to-day. In proposing the health of his guests in a few cordial words, Lord Ampthill associated the Mission with the name of Mr. Louis Dane who will be in charge of the negotiations with his Highness the Amir.

THE doctor of the American mission at Hamadan, has reached Lorimer and Major Douglas who are now at Burujied and has attended their injuries. Both officers are doing well. Mr. Lorimer's wound is a slight gunshot one in the left hand and he has been able to resume his duties. Major Douglas has a gunshot wound in his right forearm which has caused a compound fracture of the bone.

IT is understood that Amir has caused the whole of the escort which accompanied the late Mr. Fleischer when he was killed, to be arrested. Mr. Fleischer was engineer-in-charge of the Amir's workshops, a post he held for several years past; he was an Austrian by extraction. The sadness of the tragedy of his death is enhanced by the fact that Mrs. Fleischer was on her way from Europe to meet him in India.

THE rage for "English knickerbockers" amongst sportsmen in Germany so lamentably betrays the scanty natural covering of German legs, that an enterprising human "taxidermist" in the "Leipzigerstrasse has circulated among sportsmen a price list of artificial calves, 'The calves supplied by our firm,' runs the announcement, 'have been designed by skilled anatomists, and are modelled on the finest sculptures of classical antiquity.

TWO St. Petersburg newspapers have opened subscriptions for the victims of the North Sea outrage. The Mayors of Tokyo and Yokohama have cabled to the Mayor of Hull their deep sympathy for the victims. It is thought in Berlin, says Reuter's correspondent, that France will not interfere, even if England resorts to force. Captain Smith, who lost his life on the Crane, was very reluctant to start on the voyage, though he could not tell why. He only agreed to do so when it was pointed out that a refusal must mean dismissal.

LADY CURZON'S illness is said to have been brought on by a fright, which is thus described by the "Onlooker":—Lady Curzon's small dog was attacked by a big retriever, which jumped up on her when she held her pet in her arms out of reach and she had nearly fainted from fright and exhaustion when at last a gardener came to her aid. The motor-car drive, and ensuing chill brought on a return of the illness, which has developed such serious complications. Lady Curzon has had ill luck with her dogs, for not long ago, in attempting to separate two, she was bitten, and had to wear her arm in a sling for some days.

YARMOUTH Harbour on Oct. 23rd presented a curious spectacle, hundreds of fishing boats being packed on each side of the river from the sea to Haven Bridge, leaving only a narrow passage-way in the centre of the river. At noon there was a remarkable demonstration on the removal of the body of Mr. James Maclean, a well-known Scotch buyer, to Peterhead. Behind the coffin walked row after row of Scotch fishermen, followed by representatives of every industry connected with fishing, down to engineers and boat-builders. In the harbour the Scotch fleet offered its tribute by half-masted flags as the long procession passed. Before reaching the station the coffin was removed from the hearse and carried shoulder high into the railway station, and placed on a special car, which was to convey it 600 miles for interment. Twenty-two mourning coaches followed the funeral procession.

THE Bengali scientist, Dr. P. C. Ray, who has achieved much reputation by his recent work on "A History of Hindu Chemistry," has been sent by the Bengal Government on special deputation to England to study in the laboratories there with the help and co-operation of men of science. Dr. Ray

PORT ARTHUR SIEGE.

THE ATTACK ON ITZSHAN.

BOMBARDMENT AND FLAMES.

MAGAZINE EXPLOSION.

THE OUTRAGE INQUIRY.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Nov. 10.

Owing to the configuration of the ground, Itzshan is proving a costly obstacle to the Japanese fierce assaults which on the 5th and 6th instant, were repulsed, although during the second assault a casual shell exploded some Russian mines, killing and wounding 600 to 700 Russians.

Reuter wires from Tokio that an Army warehouse at Port Arthur was bombarded on the 6th instant, with heavy guns, and a conflagration ensued.

The magazine at Sungshushan also exploded.

All is quiet in Manchuria with the exception of outpost skirmishes on the 8th instant.

LONDON, Nov. 11.

Admiral Aleixeieff arrived at St. Petersburg last evening. The Tsar was absent on a tour of inspection of departing troops.

Admiral Voelkerahm, with the battleships Sissoi-veliki and Navarin and the cruisers Izumrud and Almaz, besides several Volunteer steamers and colliers, is in Suda Bay.

Lieutenant Colonel Verger, head of the Science Department of the Ministry of Marine, M. Mandel-stainin of the Russian Embassy at Constantinople and Lieutenant Wolkoff have been appointed Russian assessors on the Inquiry Commission.

MR ROOSEVELT'S TRIUMPH.

Explanations of his Success.

REPUBLICAN MAJORITY.

LONDON, Nov. 10.

The Republican majority in the House of Representatives will be one hundred.

The remarkable triumph of Mr. Roosevelt is ascribed to popular admiration of the typical American and also to approval of his imperialistic policy.

THE UNITED STATES NAVY.

A New Building Programme.

The Washington Congress will be asked for eight and a quarter millions sterling for new men-of-war, including three battleships and five fast cruisers.

CHURCH AND STATE IN FRANCE.

A Disestablishment Bill.

LONDON, Nov. 11.

M. Combes yesterday evening introduced a Bill in the Chamber of Deputies for the separation of Church and State.

ASIATICS IN THE TRANSVAAL.

Drastic Resolutions.

The Convention to consider the Asiatic question met at Pretoria yesterday and was attended by two hundred Transvaal delegates.

A Resolution was passed in favour of prohibiting all Asiatic immigration, except under the Labour Ordinance, removing all present Asiatics to the bazaars without compensation and prohibiting them engaging in skilled trades.

Mr. Louis Botha wrote sympathising with the Convention.

H. H. THE GAEKWAR.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, Nov. 11.

Their Highnesses the Gaekwar and the Maharani of Baroda arrived in Calcutta yesterday morning and are staying here as the guests of the Maharaja of Cooch Behar. The leading Indian residents of Calcutta will give an entertainment in honour of their Highnesses at the Town Hall on the 19th instant.

THE BANK OF BENGAL.

The Directors of the Bank of Bengal at their meeting yesterday raised the rate of interest to six per cent.

THE SUPREME LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

SIMLA, Nov. 11.

Mr. L. Hare, C.I.E. I. C. S., (Bengal) has been nominated an additional member of the Governor General's Council.

A TELEGRAPHIC IMPROVEMENT.

A through telegraph wire is to be erected this cold weather between Madras and Simla.

THE MAHARANI OF KOLHAPUR.

POONA, NOVEMBER 11.

The Maharani of Kolhapur arrived in Poona this morning from Benares. The Maharaja came to meet her in Poona. They left for Kolhapur to-night.

GENERAL SIR ELLES.

General Sir Elles, Military Member of the Viceroy's Council, will arrive in Poona on Monday next. During his stay he will inspect the Military Works at Kirkee, the new arsenal and other military affairs.

PASSENGERS BY THE HOMEWARD MAIL.

THE following passengers will proceed to-day by the s. s. Mongolia to Marseilles and London :—

Barrett Mrs C H.	Laug Mrs and child
Bowman Miss	Liddell Mrs and child
Bomford Rev S	Miller Mrs J O a child
Brabley Mrs and 4 children,	Mc Kewan Mr W D
Brock Mrs and 2 infts	Ogilvie Mrs and Mr N S
Blair Rev L F D	Polwhele Miss D M
Birdwood Mrs and child	Palin Mrs
Capper Mr F	Parker Mr L A
Culmer Miss	Robins Mr H
Cumming Mr A S	Robins Mr S E
Dardale Mr W H	Richards Mr E
D Brath Mrs	Hyder Mrs and 2 infts
Framji Mr A S	Russell Miss
Georg Mrs and child	Scroggie Miss L
Gray Mr and Mrs W B	Shaw Mr H
Gibb Miss G H	Sadler Mr H
Griffiths Dr and Mrs J D	Robins Mr W G
Hagge Lt. Col, A F	Tyabji Mr E C
Hahens Mrs R	Thompson Mr S J
Johnan Miss	Thompson Two Misses
Hardy Mr A	Wolff Mr W
Junker Mr and Mrs M	Warburton Miss
Widow Mr and Mrs F A	Wadia Dr

ENGLISH POLITICAL AND SOCIAL LETTER.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, OCTOBER 28.

THE RUSSIAN OUTRAGE IN THE NORTH SEA.

On Monday morning last, the people of these isles woke up to find that an act had been perpetrated, which might possibly lead to an outbreak of hostilities between this country and Russia. The opera-bouffe proceedings of the Baltic Fleet—they can scarcely be called anything, else—preparatory to the departure of the squadron, had attracted much attention here as in other parts of Europe, and many reports had been sent abroad of the extremely nervous condition of these valiant seamen, who, lived in mortal dread of being blown up by stray torpedo-boats belonging to the Japanese. The Russian Government professed to believe that a well-organised Japanese espionage service had been organised at Stockholm, and that more than once these Japanese spies had attempted to hire a merchant steamer or fishing boat with the object of torpedoing by surprise the ships of the Russian squadron. This fear of Japanese aggression had, as a French paper put it, simply haunted the officers of the Baltic fleet in their passage through the North Sea. After this timid and demoralised fleet left the coast of enmark, a high naval officer referring to their funk expressed his surprise that everything had passed off well, and no lives had been lost. "But," he prophetically added, "wait till they reach the high seas." Upon leaving Danish waters the fleet for some reason best known to themselves or for no reason, steered a very unusual course—fifty miles or more away from the customary track—and came into the midst of a large fleet of fishing vessels from the Dogger Bank. 220 miles east by north of Spurn Head. From the many personal narratives, all of which are in substantial agreement, I select that of the Captain of the Mino, one of the two vessels which arrived in Hull with the startling news :—"About midnight on Friday, I was fishing with the Gamecock fleet, about 200 miles east by north from Spurn, when I noticed a number of vessels approaching from the north-east. The foremost vessel was throwing a searchlight over the fleet. When the fleet was about a mile away a large number of shots were fired, and the Mino was struck several times. One went through the galley skylight, breaking and cutting the mizzen rigging. Another struck the inside cabin, went straight through the mizzen mast, and passed through the casing and the trawl-fishing boat. A third shot struck the boat's tackle, cutting it in halves. Other shots were fired, one striking the main companion, and another going clean through the boat. Two more went through the fore cabin, and another through the mizzen sail. Then the vessel was struck by one or more shots in the hold on the port side, amidships, below the water-line, causing the vessel to take in water. The Russian vessels continued firing for about half an hour, and then the entire fleet steamed away in a south-westerly direction." As you have heard, one of the vessels, the Crane, was sunk and two of her hands the skipper. Joseph Alfred Smith, and another member of the crew named Leggate had their heads, completely blown away. Six oth r members were wounded and it is only a miracle that the casualties was not greater. The night by all accounts was hazy, but not sufficiently so as to justify any seamen, sober and worthy of the name of sailors, from mistaking trawlers and "carriers"—the vessels that collect the fish and bring it to the markets ashore, for torpedo-boats. It is a charitable supposition, and one confirmed by what we were told beforehand of the tension on board the Russian vessels that they failed to distinguish between trawlers and torpedo boats! Another idea and one emanating by the way from Berlin was that the cruel and piratical act was done under the influence of some liquid stronger than tea. A third theory is that the Russians were not intoxicated, not suffering from uncontrollable excitement and not under any misapprehension as to who and what the poor fellows were who were the victims of an unparallelled outrage. The latter view is put very plainly by the expert correspondent whom the "Times" dispatched to Hull, on Monday, and who has since been writing such interesting letters from that town. He observes :—"It may be politic, as I have said, to accept the theory of a nervous mistake, but it would be a blunder to be taken in by it. Nothing will persuade the seafaring population here that it is true, and secretly every one else thinks the same. A gentleman holding a position of importance, who has been discretion itself in his official capacity, admitted to me in private today that it is all nonsense about the mistake. To be plain, it is the exact reverse of the truth ; the boats were fired upon, because they were known to be the English fishing fleet. The fishermen, though excessively sore and indignant, are not vindictive. They excuse the seamen of the fleet, who merely obeyed orders, and lay all the blame on the Admiral or whoever was in command ; they think he deserves hanging, and nothing less than the most condign punishment will appease their feelings." The more I question the fishermen who have arrived here, the more am I convinced that the outrage was premeditated. Not only did the Russians fire upon the trawlers, but they followed them for some time, and when they were assured that they had done their worst, they steamed away in a south-westerly direction. Now, I ask you, is it likely that the Russians would have acted thus if they had been under the impression that they were attacking Japanese torpedo-boats? Is it likely that they would have followed the trawlers

this as a measure of precaution, but the great majority of the trawlers did not alter their position more than was inevitable in the ordinary process of their work.

THE ORDERS TO THE BRITISH FLEET.

LONDON, Thursday, Oct. 27.

A Reuter telegram from Gibraltar of yesterday's date says :—The ships of the Channel Fleet have filled their bunkers and replenished their ammunition and other stores and are ready to put to sea at a moment's notice. The battleships Jupiter and Hannibal and the cruiser Doris are keeping a strict watch outside the Straits. It is reported that the authorities expect the arrival of the Mediterranean Fleet shortly. There is great activity in the dockyard, where work continues night and day. The Admiralty is inquiring among local coal merchants as to the quantity and price of coal available here. The battleships Victorious, Illustrious and Majestic, and the cruisers Lancaster, Theseus and Endymion are under orders to leave on Friday morning. It is reported to shadow the battleships of the Baltic Fleet which were expected to go to the East via the Cape of Good Hope. The Russian cruisers and torpedo-boats are expected to pass the Straits making for the Suez Canal. The entire Gibraltar torpedo boat flotilla has been commissioned." All the battleships and cruisers named, with the exception of the Lancaster, belong to the Channel Fleet.

A portion of the Mediterranean Fleet under Admiral Sir Compton Domvile, consisting of the Bulwark, battleship, the Pandora and furious cruisers the speedy, t. g. b. and the Surprise, despatch vessel arrived at Pola yesterday afternoon. The Venerable, Duncan, and London, battleships, the Flower, cruisers and the Hussars, t. g. b. arrived at Fiume yesterday morning from Venice. According to the latest arrangements the division of the fleet will leave Fiume on Friday. The Suffolk, cruiser, which has been at Gibraltar since September 5, and was ordered to leave for Malta yesterday, has had its orders countermanded and will remain at Gibraltar.

The Home Fleet arrived in the Firth of Forth last evening and at 5 30 anchored east of the Forth-bridge. The Firth of Forth was on the programme of the present cruise of the fleet, which, however, was not due there until Saturday.

Orders have been issued with reference to the Cruiser Squadron, which consists of six ships—namely, the Kent and Berwick, at Chatham, Drake and Good Hope, whose home ports is Portsmouth, and Dongeral and Monmouth, with Devonport as their depot At Chatham orders have been issued that the Kent and Berwick, which are refitting, are to be out of the dockyard hands by to-morrow, so that they may leave on Saturday to join the flag. At Devonport the Donegal and Monmouth are under repair in the dockyard, and the Donegal is expected to be ready for sea on Saturday. At Portsmouth overtime has been ordered on board the battleship Triumph and on some cruisers and smaller ships now in the dockyard hands.

MINISTERS AND THE CRISIS.

Count Benckendorff, the Russian Ambassador, drove at about 11-30 yesterday forenoon to Lansdowne-house to see the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs. The interview was fairly brief, and soon after its conclusion Lord Lansdowne left home and walked in the direction of Downing-street, but instead of going to the Foreign Office called at the residence of the Prime Minister. There Mr. Balfour and Lord Lansdowne were joined by Lord Selborne, First Lord of the Admiralty. After a short break in the deliberations, while Lord Lansdowne visited his own department and Lord Selborne left in the direction of the Admiralty, the three Ministers reassembled at 10, Downing-street, and were joined there by Rear Admiral Prince Louis of Battenberg, the Director of Naval Intelligence, and Sir Robert Finlay, K.C. M.P., the Attorney-General. There was a very prolonged conference.

The Secretary of State for India was the guest of the Major of Godalming at the annual municipal banquet. Replying to the toast of the member for the division, Mr. Brodrick said :—

There was one important topic to which allusion had been made which was not political but as to which he undertook to say every man in that room as indeed he believed in the country was at one at the present moment. We had been suddenly brought face to face with an unprecedented outrage. The world had been aroused, and this country had been aroused by an incident regretted no doubt by all but in which the great regrette we felt who had been the chief sufferers and who had the chief interest of all maritime nations as being the greatest maritime Power as well as the greatest owners of ships in the world was still equally shared by every nation however small controlling however small the amount of shipping. What we were forced to contend for was the interests of unoffending mariners carrying on their legitimate business many thousands of miles from the scene of any war like operations. He was not that night in a position to state the result of the communications which had been passing yesterday and to day. They would all, he thought, have received the Tsar's expression of regret and the promise of compensation to the sufferers with satisfaction. But he thought he would not merely be voicing their opinions, but the opinions of their fellow-countrymen, if he were to say that such expressions, if they stood alone, would not be sufficient reparation for what had occurred. (Cheers.) They could not doubt that the Russian Government would be as anxious as our Government would have been in such a case to render accountable those who were responsible for their unwarrantable action, and he thought that the whole world would require that they should obtain the security that such action should not be repeated. (Cheers.) He thought perhaps at this moment the least said the better as to what might be the events to which they might look forward. At this moment they might rest assured that the confidence which this country, without distinction of party, had shown during the last two years in the present Government, as it would have shown in any Government which might succeed them, would not be misplaced in their conception of what is due to the British name in such a crisis. (Loud cheers.)

THE QUESTION OF COMPENSATION.

Reuter's Agency is informed that no time has been lost in taking steps to estimate the actual amount of damage occasioned to the British fishing interests by the Baltic Fleet, and that two separate commissions are already engaged in investigating the matter so that a complete bill for compensation may be presented at the earliest moment to the Foreign Office for transmission to the Russian Government. At the present moment it is impossible to estimate the extent of the damage caused by the fire of the Russian warships, and there is every reason to believe that greater harm than is at present known has been done to the property of the fishing fleet.

A Government survey party is now on its way to the Dogger Bank to collect data as to the damage to trawls, to gear, and to the ships themselves. This party, which includes a Board of Trade surveyor, a representative of the owners, and other experts, will probably be back in London to-morrow. Another Government survey is working on the damaged ships which have already arrived from the North Sea, while other officials are drawing up the necessary information regarding the compensation to be claimed for the wounded and for the relations of the fishermen killed.

INDIA ALERT.

PREPARED FOR EVERY EMERGENCY.

KITCHENER GIVEN A FREE HAND.

THE "Daily Express" publishes the following as from its Simla correspondent dated October, 27th.

There has been a continuous interchange of telegrams during the last three days between Mr. Brodrick and Lord Ampthill, Acting Viceroy. Messages have also been received from Lord Curzon, and the Home Government is keeping in close touch with Lord Kitchener.

India is fully prepared for any eventuality.

I have high authority for stating that, although the Defence Committee at home has not yet given full sanction to Lord Kitchener's scheme for placing a fully equipped army of 100,000 in the north and north-west, he has practically been given a free hand to make such disposition of troops in the present emergency as will safeguard any possible risk.

The Multan, Quetta, and Rawul Pindi garrisons are being brought immediately up to emergency strength, while now shera is to be made equal to any calls from Dargai, at the foot of the Malakhand Pass.

The Kuram, Kojak, and Gomal Passes are practically invulnerable, and for the rest the mountain frontier as far north as the Mustagh is physically impregnable.

INVASION ROUTES SAFE.

For practical purposes there are but two possible invasion routes—those through Afghanistan, by way of Kandahar and Kabul.

There is not a pass along the long frontier line giving on to these routes that is not held on the Afghanistan as well as the Indian side.

The Railway runs to the Khyber and the Malakhand Passes, as well as to the Kuram Valley, and troops can be poured into any point of attack at any moment.

Though Lord Kitchener's new scheme has not been put into actual liberation, all the frontier points have been strengthened in anticipation and long before an attacking force could enter the Ameer's country, the vulnerable points along the north-west could be alive with our soldiers.

So far as the north-east frontier is concerned, the possibility of invasion through Turkestan and Tibet is remote.

Nevertheless, the whole question has come again under review, and Lord Kitchener has made plans effectively removing any source of danger from this border.

The native army was never more loyal than it is to-day, and the fot who counted on internal disaffection would make a colossal error.

THE CITY MORTALITY.

The Municipal Office returns for the twenty-four hours ending at 6 a.m. yesterday, give the following results :—

Wards.	Plague Attack.	Deaths.	Deaths from all Causes.
A Upper Middle and Lower Colaba, Fort Northern Fort Southern and Esplanade	1	0	2*
B Mandvi, Chuckla, Umarkhadi and Dongri	4	1	13
C Market, Dhobi Talao, Fanaswadi, Bhuleshwar, Khara Talao and Kumbharwada	4	2	19*
D Khetwady, Girgaum, Chowpatty, Walkeshwar and Malabar Hill	0	0	10
E Mazagon, Parwady and Nagpada, Khanderpara, Pandey, Byculla, and 1st Nagpada	1	1	19
F Parel, Sewri and Sion	2	3	11
G Mahim and Worli	2	1	5
Water Division	0	0	0
Conservancy and Outdoor Establishment	0	0	0
Hospitals	0	1	11
Total	14	9	90

Total plague deaths to date ... 277,403 229,445
Same date last year ... 8 8

*Removed to Mar. Hospital.

CHOLERA.

Wards.	Deaths.

THE THIBET TREATY.

GERMANY'S ACTION.

THE "Times" correspondent telegraphed from Pekin (Oct. 21) :—The temporary interest which followed the diplomatic inquiries made with regard to the Thibetan Treaty and the campaign in the native Press have now come to an end and the Chinese have returned to their previous attitude of complete indifference. The special commissioner Tangshaoyi is still in Pekin, nursing the hope that he will not be sent on his mission, but that the negotiations will be concluded here by the British Minister. His appointment is held to imply that the British Government will be willing to reopen the negotiations but it is earnestly to be hoped that they will not consent to any alteration whatever of the formal document already signed with the rulers of Thibet.

In my last despatch I referred to the activity of the German Minister whose country has secured rights which are virtually exclusive in Shantung. I am now informed that his Italian colleague in making inquiries regarding the treaty similar to those of Germany although Italy's interests in Thibet are equally none-xistent was not influenced by the German Minister, but that his action was spontaneous and therefore only a coincidence.

We have signed our treaty with the Thibetans. No good can come of receding from our position. The Chinese, unconcerned about Thibet before the treaty are equally indifferent now. The Russian Legation has made no official protest to the Wai-wu-pu.

An impression is abroad that the Russian Legation views with some apprehension the possible publication by England of correspondence proffering help from Russia to the Dalai Lama. It had been known for a long time in Pekin that in 1890, at the time of our Sikkim Convention with China, Russia wrote three letters to the Dalai Lama offering him assistance, should he be menaced by the British. These letters passed into the possession of Shengtai, then Amban, and brother to the present Amban. On his death in Lhassa in 1892, they passed into the possession of Kuei-huan, his successor, from whose Yamen they were stolen and restored to the Dalai Lama. Pekin officials frequently refer to them.

We learn now that the Dalai Lama is making his way towards Urga, where the Chinese authorities are on the watch. He will probably escape into Russian territory. Stories about agitation among the Mongols and gatherings of excited Mongols at Urga and elsewhere are pure fabrications.

In a later telegram (Oct. 23) the same correspondent adds :—

Telegrams received here announce that the Berlin Foreign Office has deemed it advisable officially to contradict the report which I telegraphed to you on the 19th concerning German intrigue in Pekin against the Thibetan treaty and the conference of the German Minister with the Wai-wu-pu.

You in England no doubt know well by this time what value to attach such official contradictions of German political intrigue and activity in China. Careful inquiry convinces me that in all essential particulars my despatch of the 19th correctly represents what has passed in Pekin. Exception was taken here to one unimportant detail concerning the influence of the German Minister with one of his colleagues—namely, the Italian Minister. A disclaimer regarding that detail I was glad, when asked to do so, to send you in my telegram of the 21st.

With regard to the action of the German Minister in Pekin, the "Berlin Post" states that Herr Mumm von Schwarzenstein did not abandon his attitude of reserve even after the representatives of other Powers had begun to devote particular attention to the Thibetan treaty. Various German journals had already noted that the Russian Minister in Pekin had not received instructions to enter a protest. The German Minister was aware of this fact, and, in view of the reserve attitude of his Russian colleague it never occurred to him to devote his special attention to the action of China in ratifying or declining to ratify the treaty. Similarly in St. Petersburg German diplomacy maintained a purely observant attitude. In well informed quarters, according to the Berlin Conservative journal, it is well known that both in London and in St. Petersburg the idea of an Anglo-Russian understanding with reference to Asiatic frontier questions is still cherished. On this subject the "Post" observes:—

"In Germany we can declare with a good conscience that it has always been and always will be far from us Germans to place the slightest difficulty in the way of the realisation of this idea. In particular, a pacific understanding between England and Russia with regard to the determination of their influence in Thibet cannot in any way affect us Germans. Thibet is still more remote from German interests than Manchuria."

The "North-German Gazette" also returns to the subject, but it only does so in order to indulge in personalities which render the characteristic incubrations of the semi-official organ unworthy of further notice.

THE "LONDON GAZETTE."

WAR OFFICE, Oct. 25.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Royal Garrison Art.—Major F H J Birch to be lieutenant-colonel, vice Brevet Col. H E Dobie, retired; Supernumerary Capt. S F Alderson to be captain vice G T C Dwyer; Capt. G T C Dwyer to be adjutant vice Capt. S F Alderson, whose tenure of that appointement has expired.

ROYAL MALTA ARTILLERY.

The following notification is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of Oct. 4 1904 :—R. Randon, M D gentleman, to be surgeon-lieutenant (with local and temporary rank), to complete the establishment.

ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Major R Leigh to be lieutenant-colonel, vice Brevet Col H S Andrews-Speed, placed on half-pay. The promotion of the undermentioned majors to the rank of lieutenant-colonel is altered as follows :—F H Hornblow to Sept 20, 1904, vice Brevet Col P P Buston, DSO, placed on half- pay ; W W Baker to Sept 25, 1904, vice Brevet Col J C Tyler, placed on half-pay ; B B Russell to Oct 1, 1904, vice Brevet Col G H Sim, C B, placed on half-pay.

Major and Brevet Lieut-Col C D Learoyd to be lieutenant-colonel, vice Brevet Col J C Campbell, placed on half-pay ; Major W H Hinde to be lieutenant-colonel, vice Brevet Col J A Ferrier, DSO, placed on half-pay. The undermentioned captains to be majors :—A Walpole, in succession to Lieut-Col and Brevet Col G H Sim, C B, placed on half-pay, J E Vadrener, vice Brevet Lieut-Col C D Learoyd ; S F Williams, vice W H Hinde. Second Lieut P R de Y Harvey resigns his commission on account of ill health.

LINE BATTALION.

The Northumberland Fusiliers—Second Lieut R M St J Booth to be lieutenant, vice H C Oxley, resigned.

The Bedfordshire Regt.—The following notification is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of Sept 9 1904 :—Capt G W W D'A Evans retires, receiving a gratuity.

The Lancashire Fusiliers—Capt W P Salt resigns his commission.

The Royal Welsh Fusiliers—The promotion to the rank of lieutenant of the undermentioned second lieutenants is antedated to Sept 7 1904 ; H I Webb Bowen, to complete establishment ; M G Jones vice H I Webb Bowen seconded for service under the Colonial Office.

The Hampshire Regt—Second Lieut G W Reid to be lieutenant vice H C Dolphin promoted.

The Essex Regt—Second Lieut T G Strickland to be lieutenant vice L O W Jones seconded.

The Sherwood Foresters (Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire Regt.)—Supernumerary Second Lieut. A A L Nickerson to be second lieutenant, vice H M Milward, promoted.

The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regt.)—Lieut E Barker is seconded for service under the Colonial Office.

The Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regt.)—Capt. A E H Raikes is retired from the Army under the provisions of Article 321, Royal Warant, Oct 29 1900 receiving a gratuity.

THE ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

The undermentioned officers are transferred as second lieutenants:—Lieutenant, C A Crawley Boevey from the Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regt, Second Lieut. (now Lieut.) C S Page, from the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers ; Second Lieut. G E Goldsmith, from the Cheshire Regt ; Second Lieut S E H Giles, from the Royal Irish Rifles ; Second Lieut T E G Swayne, from the Cheshire Regt The undermentioned second lieutenants to be lieutenants, under the provisions of Article 31, Royal Warrant for Pay and Promotion :—C A Crawley-Boevey C S Page.

ARMY CHAPLAINS' DEPARTMENT.

The Rev T Foran, chaplain to the Forces, first class, is placed on retired pay.

ARMY ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

Brevet Lieut-Col O C Sherwood, ordnance officer, third class, retires on retired pay.

BREVET.

Lieu-Col J R M Dalrymple-Hay, D S O the West India Regt, to be colonel.

MEMORANDA.

Lieut-Col and Brevet Col A C Foley, half-pay, Royal Eng, retires upon retired pay. The initials of Col F T N Spratt Bowring, C.B, are as now described, and not as stated in the Gazette of Oct 21, 1904. The undermentioned lieutenants are appointed captains in the West African Regt, and granted the local rank of captain while so employed :—Lieut J S Liddell, the West India Regt ; Lieut J E Gordon, the Worcestershire Regt ; Lieut C F Hall, the Royal Munster Fusiliers, is granted to local rank of captain while employed as a company commander in the King's African Rifles ; Qrmr and Honorary Lieut C J Leyster, the Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Inf), is granted the honorary rank of captain ; Qrmr and Honorary Lieut G F Colley, the West India Regt, granted the honorary rank of captain.

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THE SITUATION IN EUROPE.

RUSSIA AND THE DARDANELLES.

THE "Morning Post" published the following in its yesterday's issue :—

We have reason to believe that Russia is taking steps to sound other Continental Governments as to whether or not any objection will be raised by them in the event of a formal request being presented by her to the Powers jointly for the removal of the international restrictions governing the passage of the Dardanelles.

It is stated that no foundation exists for the rumour that the Russian Government is approaching the Sultan with the view of obtaining Turkey's consent to the passing of the Black Sea fleet through the Dardanelles.

THE ANGLO-FRENCH CONVENTION.

At the meeting of the French Foreign Affairs Committee on Oct. 20, M. Delonele read his report on the Anglo-French Convention regarding Newfoundland and West Africa. The terms and the conclusion of the report were approved and it was distributed in the Chamber, yesterday. The report concludes as follows :—

In itself the Convention is good, for it is meant to remove serious difficulties with a great nation. The Convention also commends itself for another reason. It forms part of a more vast and more general group of agreements born of a new need for "rapprochement" and union between France and Great Britain. Too long have the two countries been divided in every part of the globe by a glorious rivalry. The time has come when their peoples have determined of their own accord to come closer together and to unite. The Convention is one of the first pledges of the restoration of cordial and sincere relations between them. Let us earnestly hope that the two Governments, whose firm and resolute policy in this matter cannot be too highly extolled, will not confine themselves these first steps, but will devote themselves to settling as speedily as possible all the question still pending in Africa, Asia, and Oceania. We do not want a common and fleeting understanding between the two countries. We are animated by more lofty thoughts, and look further ahead to the conclusion of agreements ever closer and more lasting, which, loyally carried out by both parties without "arriere pensee" on a basis of mutual confidence, will cement the community and solidarity of the interests of the two countries, will constitute the surest guarantee of their prosperity, and will powerfull yeontribute to the maintenance of the peace of the world.

Annexed in the report was a letter from Lord Lansdowne to M. Delcasse containing the following passage :—

In the opinion of his Majesty's Government there is nothing to prevent French fishermen who fish for bait on the treaty shore from taking such bait away and disposing of it. On the other hand, the trade in bait on the treaty shore ought to be, as it has been up to the present, subject to local regulations which should apply without distinction to French and British fishermen. His Majesty's Government has no doubt that the Newfoundland Government will loyally respect the arrangement which has been concluded relative to the sale and purchase of bait. If, however, anything in the local regulations which may be enacted in the future by the Newfoundland Government should, in the opinion of the French Government, be of a nature to injure the rights of French fishermen under the Convention, the French Government will only have to call the attention of his Majesty's Government to the matter to ensure the fulfilment of the terms of the Convention.

With regard to the use of seines and other kinds of fishing tackle, his Majesty's Government interprets the Convention as providing that the French fishermen on the treaty shore will have the right to use the same tackle which they have been in the habit of using hitherto in the same way as the British fishermen and subject to the same regulations. His Majesty's Government knows no reason why French subjects should be denied the right of acquiring or letting lands or building for industrial or commercial purposes on the treaty shore.

GERMANY, ITALY, AND THE POPE.

The Vienna correspondent of the "Times" writes on Oct 21 :—With reference to the statement of the "Cologne Gazette" reproduced by the Berlin correspondent in the "Times" of Oct. 19, the Emperor William's supposed intention of undertaking a cruise in the Mediterranean next spring" has never been mentioned in the Vienna correspondence of the Times, nor has it been alleged "in the connection that the German Government is displaying marked activity at the Papal Court with a view to improving the relations between the Vatican and the Quirinal." The German semi-official organ gives a perfectly gratuitous denial to a perfectly gratuitous statement of its own fabrication. The "Cologne Gazette" carefully shoves beside the mark in the hope of producing the impression that it has scored a hit. The fact is—and it is a fact which admits of no denial—that Germany has been and is attempting in various ways to profit by the rupture between the Vatican and France in order to further her own policy in and out of Europe. To her great annoyance she has not succeeded as well as she expected, and for the moment she is scarcely likely to succeed.

RUSSO-GERMAN RELATIONS.

THE EMPEROR AND THE CZAR.

It is announced that the German military attache in St. Petersburg, Baron-von-der Wenge, who also bears the title of Count von Lambsdorff, has been specially attached to the person of the Emperor Nicholas and to the Russian Imperial Headquarters. Simultaneously it is announced that the Russian military attache in Berlin, Col. von Schebsko, has been specially attached to the person of the Emperor William.

The exceptional position accorded by the Czar and the German Emperor and King of Prussia to each other's military attaches is, says the Berlin correspondent of the "Times," a revival of an arrangement which prevailed for many years during the reign of the Czars Alexander I., Nicholas I., and Alexander II., the arrangement was no mere form. The military attaches who also bore the designation of military plenipotentiary, were constantly in the neighbourhood of the Sovereign to whom they were accredited and were treated almost as if they had been officers of that Sovereign's own army. The "Vossische Zeitung" says that the arrangement was only abandoned under Alexander III, whom it describes as the great hater of Germany. This is true, but it is not quite precise. Alexander III ascended the Russian Throne in 1881. The special arrangement with regard to the military attaches continued until the year 1894—that is to say until about a year after the secret treaty of reinsurance between Russia and Germany concluded by Prince Bismarck in 1884 had been allowed by Count von Caprivi to expire in the summer of 1890. The "Vossische Zeitung" observes:—If after an interval of many years the old arrangement is now revived this event may be regarded as a symptom of renewed warmth in the relations between Germany and Russia which since the days of Alexander III had been very cool."

A Reuter telegram of Oct. 22 from Berlin says :—The reciprocal appointments of military attaches to the persons of the Emperor Nicholas and the Emperor William are unquestionably an outward and visible sign of a close personal and political bond uniting the Governments of Germany and Russia, and indicate in the most emphatic fashion the complete confidence of the Russian military authorities in the friendly disposition of Germany. It is regarded here as highly important, and is considered to imply, if not the existence of a fresh "Reinsurance Treaty," at any rate a condition of close relationship rendering such a treaty unnecessary. The renewal of the arrangement which existed in the time of the Emperor William I. marks a new era in the relations existing between Germany and Russia. The Russian military attache here furnishes the Emperor with daily reports regarding the progress of the war. There has been no Press comment on the subject, but the "Berliner Tageblatt" thinks that it throws a sharp sidelight on Germany's "sympathetic neutrality" for Russia. It is remarked here that the recent Russian mobilisation depletes the garrisons on the German frontier of three more brigades.

Writing on Oct. 24, the Vienna correspondent of the "Times" says :—The demonstrative affirmation of Russo-German amity manifested by the arrival of the discarded practice of attaching the Russian and German military attaches in St. Petersburg and Berlin to the persons of the Sovereigns to whom they are respectively accredited has attracted general attention in Austro-Hungarian official and diplomatic circles. The nature of the impression produced may best be judged from the fact that not a single journal has ventured to comment upon the announcement, though all have given it prominence. It is unlikely that this eloquent silence will be broken in any quarter.

HIGH COURT.—Nov. 12.

Before The Hon'ble Mr Justice B. TYABJI.
For Judgment.

509-03—Tyabji D and Co—Moosabhai Mahomed Sajun and another vs Yacoob Mahomed Sajun and others—Nana H and Co and Tyebji D and Co

Contested Chambers.
For trial of issues.

1223—Bhalshanker K and G—The Ahmedabad Advance S and W Co, Limited vs Lalmishanker Deshanker and another Pestonji R and K and K B Mehta—1 art heard

Before the Hon'ble Mr Justice CHANDAVARKAR.
Suit for hearing and final disposal.
Commercial Causes.

345-04—Payne and Co—Kanjee Dawjee and another vs Bhugwandas Narotamdas—Tyabjee D and Co—Part heard

534-01—Madhowji and K—Ebjee Umarsi and others vs Memon Mahomed Hajee Jamal—Mathubhoy—J and M

Long Causes

2-8-01—K D Shroff—Dhanjibhoy Merwanji Shroff vs Nusserwanji Curseiji Sukhia—Craigie L and O

On question of Cost.

505-04—Jehangir and S—Ramabai widow vs Ramchunder Vithul Shringarpure—Khunderao and S

51-44—Tyebjee O and Co—Bibi Kaver Sultan vs Bibi Rukhie Sultan and others—Payne and Co

Long Causes

237-03—Ardesir H D and Co—Haji Abdul Rahman Shirazi vs Hirbai widow and others—Captain and V

877-01—Kidgeon G and W—Bhikhi Sakina widow vs Mirza Mahomed bin Haji Abdul Hoosein Shiraji and others—Craigie L and O

384-00—Captain and V—Fakirchand and others vs Doolub Govindjee and others—Madhowjee V

117-04—Bhaishunker K and G—The Advocate-General of Bombay vs Bai Sudha Alias Moghibai—Madhevji and V

402-04—Bicknell M and M—Dinshaw M Fantheckey and another vs Khatri Saiemahomed Jaffer—Little and Co

465-01—Payne and Co—Vullt Mahomed Hassum vs Vussonji Veiji and Co—Madhowji and V

70-01—Payne and Co—Shamjee Kandojee vs Chimnaji Sadashiv and other—F P—Pavri Magenial T and G

136-03—M and B—Chathia Vajibai widow vs—nana widow—Payne and Co

701-02—Balkrishna V N K—Fatmabee widow and others vs N C Macleod and others—In Person—Wadia G and Co—Part heard on 28-7-04.

259 9973-01—Kanga and Co—Kishonlal Joharimal vs Govind Narayen Jeychand—Payne and Co—Part heard on 5-8-04.

198-7682-01—Kanga and Co—Hardatrai Nundram vs Govind Narayen Jeychand—Payne and Co—Part heard on 5-8-04.

647-03—M B Chothia—Kunabai widow vs Dhunjeebhoy Bomanjee Bhajwalla and others—In person—Mulla and M and M H and M

616-03—Spethaia B and N—Vithal Luxuman Chunekar vs Gajanya Shanbo Sathal and others—In person—Chunder M and M—Part heard

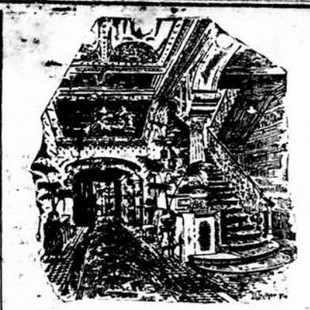
Shridhar K Kathavare another Edgelow G and W

363-01—Dadhtary and P Tokersey Shamjee and others vs The Last Reay Mills and others—Mather Bhoy J and M and D D S.

493-04—Wadia G and Co—Prior de Soone and Co vs Dayal Khimjee and answers—In person

For Trial of issues.

458-04—Payne and Co Mahomed Oliveen Gangaram Ramjee and other Hirjee D and D and P



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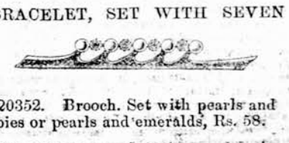
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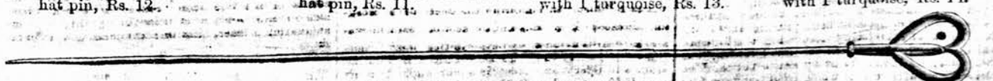
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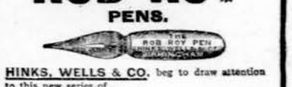

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GOSSIP OF THE WEEK.

LONDON, OCTOBER 28.

A CLOSE SHAVE.

THE "Madame Batavia" of whom the town is hearing, is a bear. Be she clad in "emotional" walking or motoring costume, or be she accoutred for the fancy dress ball at Covent-garden, to which they say she is going, she is, once seen, the most unmistakeable specimen of her genus. Once it fell out differently. Some who read this note may remember "the pig-faced lady," stories of whom made their young flesh creep. Of course, the "lady" was the handmaid of the showman, and thousands in all parts of the country went to see her. But in the same caravan was an unconscionable dwarf who made disparaging remarks about the pig-faced lady and her more or less disinterested guardian; and the latter and the man of meagre measurement came to blows and the police-court. And then that soulless dwarf spoilt the whole illusion. The pig-faced lady was neither more less than a bear, its face and neck closely shaved, the top of its head covered by a wig, ringlets and cap, all the most chic and fashionable. The "lady" reclined in an armchair, assisted by stout ropes by which she was pinioned, although the dainty gown in which she was swathed did not make that fact obvious.

DOUBLY REALISED.

The Archbishop of Canterbury, reading his wireless newspaper aboard the liner which brought him from the United States, might notice that the electrification of the Underground will not be completed at quite so early a date as was once anticipated. The item has an interest for his lordship. He and it are the subject of an old prophecy which he has also seen realised. In 1901 at the Globe Theatre a prologue by Richard Burbage was recited containing the following:—

"Not our King! The limping State
That day must need a crutch.
What next? In time a Scot will prate
As Primate of our Church.
When such shall be, why then you'll see
That day it will be found,
That Saxon down through London town
Shall burrow underground.

The Archbishop is, of course, a Scotsman born and bred a multiplicity of subterranean railways have realised the burrowing prophecy.

THE CHANCE SHOT.

The battle which made us mistress of the seas, Trafalgar, whose ninety-ninth anniversary all Britons observed on Friday, was won at a cost to this country of little more than half the lives lost to Russia when the Petropavlovsk went down. Seven hundred and ninety men perished in the Russian warship; Trafalgar was won at a cost to England of 452 lives, plus, of course, the 1,200 wounded. The greatest below of all, that which killed Nelson, was from a chance shot, it was not his assumption of his decorations which brought about his death. The French sergeant who shot the great Admiral left an autobiography in which he stated that he had not been told off for the task which he accomplished. He was left forgotten in the tops, and remained there because he had not been ordered down. He saw Nelson surrounded by others on the poop of the Victory. "I could even have aimed at the men I saw, he says, but I fired at hazard among the group. And Nelson fell mortally wounded by that shot fired at random.

THE SONG WE SING.

Most people have sung, or attempted to sing, "The Death of Nelson."; Probably no song ever had such a vogue as this has enjoyed. It has given the name Trafalgar a new pronunciation. You would can that Englishman apedant who to-day accented the last syllable of the word, although you know that he would be right in so doing. If the name of the author of the song should escape your memory, it might be surprising how far you would have to seek to find it. Having at last refreshed the memory, it is interesting to recollect that the man who gave us this most national of all our songs was an alien. The parents of John Braham were German Jews. The boy, at their death, hawked pencils in the streets of London until a man with an ear detected the wonderful quality of his voice and took him in hand. The Death of Nelson was written by John Braham for his opera, The Americans, which he produced at the Lyceum in 1811. It proved the greatest of all his sea songs, and served to the last for an encore. He sang it once when over eighty years of age.

BLINDNESS AND CRIME.

A man on trial in Ireland for murder is blind The incident is not without parallel. A blind man was sentenced to death for murder at the Hampshire Assizes nine months ago. The Irish courts have seen blind witnesses, and a blind judge too, before now. Mr. Richard Pennefather, who for many years was a baron of the Irish Court of Exchequer, lacked sight during the last twenty years of his term of office; his judgments were always of most luminous description. By a grim coincidence the only witness in the series of appalling crimes in Whitechapel some years ago was blind. He heard one of the victims in conversation with the man by whom she was shortly afterwards murdered. It was only a couple of years ago that there died in Vienna famous designer of guns who claimed to have invented the straight pull now employed for modern rifles. He, again, was blind.

FEAST AND FAMINE.

While the crews of the American fleet now anchored in British waters feasted at the Crystal Palace on saturday, the good people of Brisban were doing their best to render happy the lot of the mariners just landed there after some months residence among savages following terrible privations at sea. Feasting and fasting often alternate in the seaman's life. Recent legal history includes the trial of a British crew upon a charge of killing and eating one of their own number. America has a similar case upon its records. The brigantine Peggy, dismantled by storm was tossing a helpless bulk for three months with a starving crew on board. They drank freely of the cargo of wines which they carried, and perhaps it was the frenzied condition of the men which caused their desertion by a ships which approached and promised but failed to afford help. In the end they killed and ate a negro, and lived for sixteen days upon his flesh. A second victim had been marked for sacrifice, and the fires lighted for his roasting when a ship bringing succour hove in sight.

A NEW PHASE.

Nearly every year since 1850 advocates of marriage with the deceased wife's sister have endeavoured to get their Bill passed by the British Parliament. Each time they have failed, albeit King Edward when Prince of Wales, voted for the measure in the House of Lords. Now the Federal Cabinet of Australia has determined to address an earnest representation to the Home Government protesting against the nullification in this country of such marriages made in the Colonies. All the self-governing Colonies excepting Newfoundland, have legalised marriages with deceased wife's sister South Australia led the way but she had to pass her Bill several times before she could get the Royal Assent. Success having at last attended her efforts Victoria, Tasmania, New South Wales, Queensland, New Zealand, West Australia, Barbadoes, Canada, Mauritus, Natal and Cape Colony followed suit. The restriction was abolished some years ago in Jersey but not in the other islands nor in the Isle of Man.

A CURIOUS STRUGGLE.

Few questions have more sharply divided public opinion than this one, On the one hand one English pronounces the marriage of a man with the daughter of the half-sister of his deceased wife null and void; another vowed that "the most enormous paradox in the world is to say that the right way for a man and woman to live together without scandal is that they should not be able to marry." The recognition in England of marriages made in the Colonies for which Australia now asks has been sought more than once in an Act of Parliament, and actually passed its third reading in the Lords without a dissentient vote. But it did not reach the Commons. The Lower House, on the other hand, has repeatedly passed Bills for the Mother Country, only to see them rejected by the House of Lords. When King and however, the latter assembly passed his own Bill dealing with the subject—a Bill for which both the Prince of Wales voted against the Prime Minister the two Archbishops, and sixteen bishops—there was not an opportunity to bring it before the Commons.

THE SONG OF THE CAT.

In spite of the spread of popular education, in spite of all the philanthropic agencies with which London abounds, and in spite, too, of the increased strength of the police force, ruffianism among that class of youths and young men whom we now term Hooligans is becoming increasingly rampant. A number of the offenders have been sentenced recently at the Old Bailey to the "cat," and, as usual, the passing of the sentence has brought tears and protests from the culprits. It was the lash which killed garrotting, and it was at Old Bailey that violence was successfully opposed to violence. It was thus they celebrated Baron Branwell's rout of ruffianism:—

In the Court of Old Bailey, twas Branwell that spoke;
"The Crown can't allow all these crowns to be broke;
So let each skulking thief who funks justice and me,
Just attend to the warning of bold Baron B.
Just hand me my notes, and some ink for my pen,
And, gaoler, look sharp, and bring up all your mens,
Under five years of servitude none shall go free,
For it's up with the dander of bold Baron B."

A MILTON CONTROVERSY.

St. Giles's, Cripplegate, where new windows were dedicated on Saturday, is one of the most interesting of London's churches. It was there that Oliver Cromwell was married to Elizabeth Browehier, August 20, 1620. It was there, too, that Milton was buried in the grave of his father in 1674, having, as the parish books say, "died of consumption fourteen years after the blessed Restoration." Tradition has it that in 1790 the grave was opened, the skeleton of the poet dragged from its place, its teeth knocked out and carried away by the churchwardens. Afterwards Betsy Grant, the female grave-digger, used for many years to exhibit the mutilated skeleton at twopence a head. The gruesome story has been stoutly denied, but will be believed as long as Cowper's famous lines denouncing the hands,

That trembled not to grasp his bones.
And steal his dust away

are had in general remembrance.

WHEN the South Cheshire Hounds met at Adderley on Oct. 22nd the progress of a hunted fox in the early part of the day was attended by a somewhat novel experience at Adderley Hall, where the fugitive made his way into the library through an open casement. The intrusion only served to provoke a stirring "Holloa" from a lady, and roused again to a sense of the risk he ran, the fox left the forbidden sanctuary, and his subsequent resourcefulness enabled him to save his brush.

COLONEL COLIN HARDING, who is in command of the Barotseland Native Police, has had a narrow escape from death. While travelling by mule cart from Mumbwa to Kalomo he found nine lions across the track. He picked up his rifle and wounded two, one of which he was following for a second shot when a lioness sprang upon him and knocked him over. Luckily he retained his rifle, and the brute fled as he fired. He had, however, sustained a broken collar-bone, and his thigh was gashed. One of the lions was found dead.

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Nervous Debility

of which worry and anxiety are such distressing symptoms, demands special treatment the nature of which is easily understood. If the body be weak it shows that fitting nourishment is required, and the same is equally true if the nervous system be weakened. It needs proper nutrition.

But how seldom the exhausted nervous system receives the right treatment. In many cases stimulants are resorted to, which give merely fictitious and temporary strength to the nerves, but actually leave them more weakened and worn out than before. If the nervous system be exhausted it really requires a remedy that will assist the nervous system to assimilate nourishment from the ordinary food, and will at the same time supply the vital nerve elements which are lost under the strain of overwork. Such a remedy is found in

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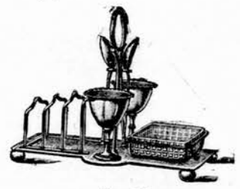

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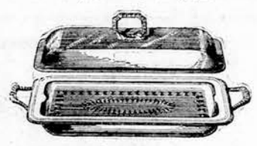

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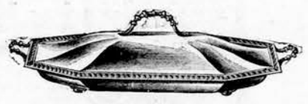

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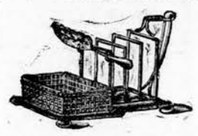

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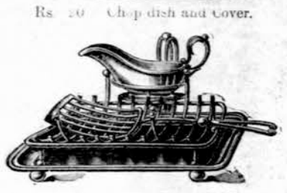

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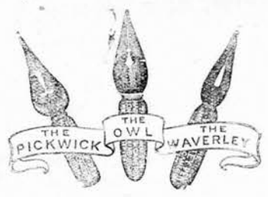

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